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Abstract of Season or Intermediate Reports for the Week ending 3rd May 1879.

Bangalore District.—The crops are in good condition. [illegible] crops in the Dodballapur, Hoskôte [illegible]. Prices stationary. Fever and ague prevalent.

Kolar District.—No change in the state of the crops. A slight earthquake was felt at 4 P. M. on the [illegible] at Begepalli and the surrounding villages. No damage was done. Public health indifferent. The price of ragi has risen slightly.

Tumkûr District.—Prospects of season and state of crops good. Fever abating slightly.

Mysore District.—Early sowings require rain. Cotton and sugar-cane crops are thriving. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good. The price of ragi has risen slightly, while that of rice has fallen.

Hassan District.—Thirteen cents of rain fell at Hassan. The paddy crop below some of the tanks in the Hassan Taluk is withering, owing to an insufficient supply of water. In the Arkalgûd and Attikuppa Taluks, the paddy crop is doing well, but in the former taluk black and green-gram are suffering from want of rain. The price of ragi has fallen, but that of rice remains stationary.

Shimoga District.—Eighty-nine cents of rain fell at the District head-quarters. The Vaisak paddy crops and the sugar-cane crops are thriving. In some parts of the District the ryots have commenced agricultural operations. Prospects good. Prices stationary. Public health bad, malarial fevers, whooping cough and ophthalmia being very prevalent.

Kadur District.—One inch nineteen cents of rain fell at the head-quarters of the District. The planting of sugar-cane continues. Prospects favorable. Public health generally good. Prices stationary.

Chitaldroog District.—Paddy, javari and navane crops were harvested in the Dodéri and Pavagada Taluks. Sugar-cane was milled in some parts of the Chitaldroog Taluk. The remaining crops are healthy in all parts of the District. Fever and ague prevalent. No rain fell in any part except Hiriyur where 10 cents were gauged. Cattle have been attacked with mouth and hoof disease in all parts Sheep in the Hosdurga Taluk have been attacked with an eruption called "Bobbe Roga."

Coorg.—Rain-fall 92 cents. Agricultural prospects good. Health improving.

By Order,

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